



## TRANSPORTATION CABINET

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**Steven L. Beshear**  
Governor

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Secretary

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Dear Judge:

The Office of Rural & Secondary Roads would like to extend an invitation to participate in the Cooperative Program for FY 2015. Participation in the Cooperative Program allows you to enter into an agreement with the Transportation Cabinet for the expenditure of your pro rata share of the County Road Aid funds. This program provides the eligible opportunity to receive emergency funding assistance for unforeseen county emergencies. Participating in the program requires a three percent (3%) deduction from the county apportionment.

Counties that choose to participate in the Cooperative Program will receive three annual payments. For participating governments during fiscal year 2015, we will make sixty percent (60%) of the total projected revenue available on August 1<sup>st</sup>. The remaining funds will be made available later in the fiscal year with the final payment being made at the end of the fiscal year after the actual collections are tabulated. Please note there are no administrative charges to the program. Counties which choose not to participate in the program will continue to receive County Road Aid funding monthly. The monthly funds received are based on the motor fuel sales of the preceding month. Please note the following:

- Participating in the Cooperative program in no way interferes with the administration of your road program. The county continues to decide what, when and where the work will be done.
- The work and material will be in accordance with your governmental body's specifications and not state specifications.
- All road work charges made by a county while working on your roads are made against the County Road Aid Program. This includes materials, equipment, labor, fringe benefits and overhead.

If you are interested in participating in the Cooperative Program, you must contact our office by June 1<sup>st</sup> so that we can forward you a proposed contract. If you require additional information, please feel free to contact by phone (502) 564-2060 or e-mail Randy Dawson ([Randy.Dawson@ky.gov](mailto:Randy.Dawson@ky.gov)) or Rick Long ([Rick.Long@ky.gov](mailto:Rick.Long@ky.gov)).

Sincerely,

Don Pasley, Commissioner  
Department of Rural & Municipal Aid

cc: Rick Long, Executive Director  
Office of Rural & Secondary Roads



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